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#### AMERICANS IN TROUBLE.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] LONDON, Jan. 13.-A dispatch from Josannesburg says among the members of the Beform union arrested on the charge of treason are Charles Butters, T. II. King ınd Captain Main, all American citizens.

#### NEW OHIO GOVERNOR.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 13.—Governor Bush sell was inaugurated today. The feature of the inauguration exercises was a parade of military, civil and political organiza-

### THE CEPHALONIA APLOAT.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] LONDON, Jan. 18 .- The steamer Cephe onis, Boston for Liverpool, which went shore near Holyhead, January 1, was loated yesterday. She will be patched sp and proceed to Liverpool.

Miss Bessle Hoxie is spending the week with friends in Fitchburg.

Arthur Robinson and Arthur M. Robinon left this afternoon for New York city, there they expect to remain for two

### UNITED PRESS.

# By Telegraph 3.30 O'CLOCK,

YALE SAYS NOT.

No Contests This Year Between English and American Universities,

[Special Disnatch to the Transcript.] NEW HAVEN, Ct., Jan. 13.-The Yale News this afternoon contains the following official approuncement: "There will be no race this year with Oxford or Cambridge as the Yale management finds it impossible to arrange suitable dates with English universities. Yale's crew cannot go over early enough to suit the Englishmen, and the latter cannot hold their crew together long enough after their race to be in condition to meet us,"

#### TO REORGANIZE THE SENATE.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Senator Sherman this morning issued a call for a Republican senatorial caucus to be held this afternoon immediately after the adjournment of the senate to consider the question of reorganization of the elective officers of the senate. It is not thought anything will be done until the latter part of this month and possibly not until agter the Utah senators have been sworn

TO RECOGNIZE THE CUBANS. Resolution Introduced Into United States Senate Today.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 .- In the senate today Kyle of South Dakota introduced a concurrent resolution directing the president upon production of evidence that the Cuban patriots have established a seat of government in Cuba and that a majority of the native born residents are supporting it, to extend belligerent rights to the

#### FINANCIAL.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] NEW YORK, Jan. 18.-With a much better feeling at home and abroad London prices are up. This market advanced. opening on an average one-half to one per cent, higher and continued strong but dull. London was a heavy buyer which was principally shorts covering.

New York Market.
[Closing Quotations, 3 p. m.]

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Opening. Closing.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

A Meeting Held Saturday Evening at the City Hall.

Superintendent Hall met the members of the new school board in the city hall Saturday evening and all matters in any way connected with the schools were explained in detail and discussed at much length. The new board is desirous of acquainting itself with everything pertain ing to school work, and when the time arrives for the representation of the exist ing conditions, educational and financial of our public schools to the city council for appropriations for the ensuing year. which commences April 1, the board pronotes to be found in readiness to answer any and all questions with precision and exactness. A committee was appointed to formulate plans for systematic visitations of the schools. The next meeting of the board will be held January 24.

### Charles L. Magee,

Charles L. Magee, a respected resident of Pownal, Vt., died suddenly of heart disease at his home in that town Friday was a native of Stamford, Vt., and lived in that town till about five years ago, when he moved to Pownal. He was a farmer, thrifty, industrious and upright, and was highly esteemed as a neighbor and citizen. He leaves a widow and a daughter in Pownal, two sisters living in Baltimore, Miss Safronia Magee and Mrs. Fairman, and two sisters in this city, Mrs. Eli

T. Clark and Mrs. M. E. Ketchum.

—Mrs. Nelson Greenwood of Spring
The funeral was attended from the street fell on the slippery sidewalk on house today at 10.30 o'clock and the remains were brought to this city for inter-

## SAW THE BURGLARS.

But Could Only Watch Them The Acts of Joseph H. Stephens A Few of Secretary Wiard's Through a Stove-Pipe

FOUR MEN IN ALL WERE SCARED.

Robbery at Zoar This Morning. The North Adams Police Imformed a Little Too Late to Catch the Robbers,

There was a bold case of burglary at Zoar early this morning, which was re-ported to our police only a few minutes too late for a probable capture of both the burglars.

The scene of the burglary was at Mr. Cressy's store and dwelling, a few rods west of Zoar station. It was about 2.30 o'clock this morning when Mr. Cressy and his clerk, T. J. Splan, who sleep over the store, were awakened by the sound of breaking glass. Getting up, they were able to see through a stove-pipe hole in the floor all that was going on below, and could almost reach the burglars' heads as they walked about.

Two men had smashed in the east winin. Evidently they hadn't the slightest suspicion that anyone was in the building for they made no attempt to keep still, and talked and walked about in noisy

The men's only tools were a railroad spike. They got to work at once, smashed the money drawer, and then proceeded to tie up in a bundle various articles of personal apparel, not forgetting a box of cigars.

The burglars had been at work about a half bour and were on the point of leaving, when the men up stairs thought it time to remonstrate. Accordingly they stole out doors by a back way, to do what they didn't know, as they had no weapons and feared to corner the men. But the noise from opening a rear door settled the matter, and the burglars plunged out of the building on the opposite side.

They ran as if for dear life down the

track to the westward. They were not pursued because Mr. Cressy and Mr. Splan feared the folly of chasing men who were probably armed and desperate. Waiting a little time, the track of the ourglars was taken and followed to the East Portal where it was seen they had boarded a west bound freight train. In the meantime the North Adams police had been notified by wire and had the message been promptly delivered they would have been able to have taken the

through here about 4 o'clock. The men secured only a revolver, a hat and two cents in money, leaving their bundle of tied-up plunder on the store floor in their hurried departure. Mr. Cressy and Mr. Splan say that the men were of small stature but hard-looking specimens, and wore only 61 hats, as shown by those they left in exchange for better ones. The watchers from the stove-pipe hole say that had they had so much as a pitchfork for weapons the bur-glars would never have come out of the honse alive.

The North Adams police are working on the case and have notified officers of surrounding towns to be on the outlook.

### MOVING FOR DAMAGES.

Vermont Law Firm Takes Hold of the

Pownal Accident Case. The terrible accident at Pownal, Vt., last July, in which E. Chaput, E. Roque, Oliver Dandelin and Jerry Trudeau of this city were killed by an express train on the Fitchburg railroad, is still fresh in the public mind. When the inquest was held and the railroad company was exonerated from all blame in the matter many supposed the case was ended, but such is not the fact. A. N. Gelineau of this city, who was given the power of attorney by the families of the young men who were killed, has placed the case in the hands of the law firm of Waterman, Martin & Hitt of Brattleboro, Vt. This firm has had George A. Boyden of Brattleboro appointed administrator of the estates of the young men, and he will look to the Fitchburg company for a satisfactory settlement. If this is refused a suit will be brought against the company in the courts of Vermont. It is understood that Gen. Batchelder of Arlington, Vt., has been retained by the Fitchburg com-

Mr. Gelineau says there is importance evidence which was not put in at the inquest, and he thinks a trial will show that the blame for the accident rests on the railroad company. He says an effort was made at the inquest to show that the young men were intoxicated and not exercising proper precaution when they drove upon the track, but that it can be proved that one of them had drank nothing and that the other three had drank only two glasses of lager each during the day. The developments in the case will be watched with interest by many in this city.

# LAMORE'S CAREER.

Filled Full of Bullets Here and Toasted Down in Lynn.

Charles S. Lamore, whose home is in Lonn and who lived a short time in this ection, is having a varied career. Some months ago he reported at Dr. Mignault's office and was as full of bullet holes as Julius Ceasar's body was full of sword thrusts. He got them at Hoosac Tunnel in a disgra eful way, it will be remem-bered, and Elwin Granger was accused of doing the shooting. Lamore and his son and his son's wife were having a spree in their habitation in Pinkham's court in Lynn last Friday morning. They managed to turn over an oil stove and set fire to the building and themselves. Lamore's head and body were as badly burned as they were once shot and the son and his wife were almost roasted alive. All the survivors are in the hospital. Mrs. Lamore was burned to a crisp.

-The rehearsal of "Gallia" will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock instead of in the Franco-America club rooms, as had been under stood.

-Mrs. Nelson Greenwood of Spring Church street Saturday evening and sus tained a fracture of her right hip. Dr. Mignault was called.

## MOST MALICIOUS.

at N. L. Millard's Factory.

MIGHT HAVE KILLED AND WRECKED. SOCIAL CONDITIONS OF THE WEST

The New Engineer's Discovery. Bolts Loosened on the Engine, Water Let Out of the Boiler. Stephens Was Discharged from the Factory.

Joseph H. Stephens was arrested yesterday by Officer Mack and was accused in court this morning of malicious mischief. Stephens' home is on Eagle street and he was arrested there. He pleaded guilty to the charge and sentence will be imposed

Stephens' act, to which he pleaded guilty, was a most malicious one. He had been engineer at N. L. Millard's shoe factory for several months and last Friday night he was discharged. The next morning the new engineer, Peter Wright, reported in the factory's office that the engine had been tampered with. When he entered the boiler room to "fire up" he found that the supply valve of the boiler had been screwed down and that the blow-off valve had been opened, letting all the water out of the boiler. The bolts of the engine's cross head had been loosened; the shaft bolts and the eccentric bolts had been loosened, too. It was evidently the intention of the person making these alterations to have the engine wreck itself if it should be put in anotion, or to have the boiler destroyed by letting cold water into it when the fire had been

started. The matter was reported to the police and kept quiet until the return of Chief Kendall from Fitchburg. A wrench was found in the frame of the engine under the eccentric rods, and it had upon it Stephens' name. This was given to the chief and from that clue Stephens was detected. This was the first detective work the chief has done in this city and it was done neatly and well. Much praise is due Engineer Wright for his care. Were he not a careful man, and had he gone about his work Saturday morning unthinkingly the result would have been disastrous. The damage to property might have been large and the loss of life might have been appalling.

#### Y. M. C. A. SERVICE.

For Young Men Held at the Baptist Chapel Yesterday Afternoon.

burglars on the freight train which passed The regular Y. M. C. A. service for young men was held yesterday in the Baptist chapel at 4 o'clock. J. E. Pierson of Dalton, a member of the state Y. M. C. A. committee, was present and spoke in the interest of the state endowment building which it is proposed to have built in Boston, and which will be used by the state committee and for the meetings of the secretaries of the association in this state and the state of Rhode Island, which is linked with Massachusetts in this field of work for many reasons. The state committee, having headquarters in Boston, is composed of twenty-four men, taken , h both states, who are prominent In business and religious work, and the committee thus formed has the entire supervision of all the associations and also of the extension of the association work Mr. Pierson spoke about the multiplic

ity of duties which come to the committee, and thought that the association reports, showing an increase of over 100 per cent in the last ten years, is sufficient avi dence of the manner in which they have carried out the excellent purpose fo the committee was organized. The work of the committee is to strengthen and stimulate associations, arrange confer ences and conventions, secure secretaries and other officers, secure buildings and enlarged facilities, develop educational spiritual and physical work in the association, promote religious work in schools and organize new associations. The record from the state report of 1895 is on which reflects creditably upon the zeal and earnestness of the committee. Sixty one associations close the year free from debt, fifty-five men have been secured for for thirty-nine associations, five new buildings, valued at \$307,500, have been added to the list, four new associations have been organized in colleges and the increase in educational and physical work in the many associations in this state and Rhode Island for the year bas exceeded any former advancement ever recorded,

The project of erecting a state building is meeting with general encouragement and siready nearly \$50,000 has been raised for this purpose. The state committee will occupy put a small part of the building and the remaining rooms will be let for business offices and for stores. The revenue from the building will be used exclusively for the extension of the Y. M. C. A. work in this state and Rhode Island. At the present time there are sixty-nine associations in sixty-four cities and towns in this state, seventeen college associations, three railroad associations and 205 towns with corresponding members. Thus it may be seen that there is yet a wide and unoccupied field for the advancement of the work, and it is through the medium of the central force, the state committee that this field is to be covered. The result of the Y. M C. A. effort in the colleges and in the railroad associations has prover very gratifying and its continuance and enlargement is one of prime interest to the state committee.

Envelopes for subscriptions were distributed at the meeting and will be further distributed in this city during this week On each envelope directions are printed, that the money may be sent to the place. Anyone not being supplied with an envelope, and wishing to contribute to the cause, may send subscriptions to F. O. Winslow, 7 Temple place, Boston.

### Mr. Kelly in Town.

W. S. Kelly of Boston, Who spoke Fri day night before the board of trade in the interest of the project of transmitting power from Howe's pond, is in this city for a few days. Any one desirous of secing him can find him at the Wilson.

-The officers of Bourget council of the Catholic Benevolent society were installed by Deputy Supreme Chancellor Thomas A. Goodbeau in the vestry of Notre Dame church yesterday afternoon.

# TOUCHING TALES.

Stories Told Far Too Short.

Mr. Wiard is a Good Story Teller. He is Laboring in Behalf of the Home Misslonary Society. We Should Not Say "Foreigner" Scornfully.

Secretary Wiard of Chicago, an officer

the Home Missionary society, talked most interestingly on "Frontier Life and Work" last night in the Congregational church. Mr. Wiard is an excellent story teller, not in the light sense in which the words "story teller" are ct m interpreted. He tells a pathetic tale with the deepest pathos and yet his story is in the simplest words. The subject matter of his sketches last night afforded much scope for his rhetorical powers. His object, as is the case with all missionaries, was to raise funds for his work. He made it known most artfully and bored none with any importunities. He aroused in his hearers a strong sympathy for those for whom he is laboring and at the end of his discourse when he touched upon the General Howard "roll of honor," fund no one felt he was a beggar. This fund is one started by the distinguished person whose name it bears and is that 1400 persons may have the opportunity of sub-scribing \$100 each to pay \$140,000 on debt of the Home Missionary society. Mr. Wiard said he was glad to know that the women of the Congregational church were working to have their name subscribed on that roll. And to the congregation he said, I hope some of you will put your name there. If you can't take a whole share, take a part. Have your friends take a part, too, and in that way the share can be made up. Mr. Wiard's discourse was very unique, it consisted wholly of pictures of life he had seen. The pictures were touching and told to thrill. They were of social conditions in oregon, Nebraka, Minnesota, California and many of the western states. They showed the sad need of mission work even in "Christian America." At the beginning of his discourse Mr.

Wiard said enough to make every one who listened to him never use the word "foreigner" in a scornful sense. He said the people who landed at Plymouth prayed God to send many to them that there might be raised a great nation. We pray they won't come and want some to go back, and we send our congressmen to make laws on the matter. He once talked with a chief of the Sloux Indians—a grand old fellow-through an "interrupter, as some one has properly put it, and when he found he was talking to a preacher he said, "You believe in a God from one end to the other of it, but is marked with the blood of my countrymen. could take the scalp of every one of them." He thought us foreigners. If we showed the right spirit to those who which, though not sinful in themselves, came from across the sea we could take are apt to take too strong a hold on us the whole world for God, but we are not and lead to extremes. Amusements of doing it. Then Mr. Wiard began on his this character I would oppose. Amusepletures. He gave one of the South Sea ment should be relaxation and solace, islanders and then one of the landing of a German family at Castle garden that the by who knows this will know how touched more closely on the "foreigners." What are we going to do with them and ments that will strengthen the body and they with us?" The woman sat on the mind, but the dangerous literature that is curbstone and her hair seemed never to placed so freely within their reach should been combed. Sha shoes, was poorly dressed and around her were running small edtitions of the same.

As he made the remark to his friend and looked upon the little ones they ran to that woman. Somehow she gathered them all to her and he saw come into her He once stopped before a church that was known as the four-borse church because of the carriages in which the worshippers came. He asked a Scotchman driver who sat outside if he did not go to church. "No, the master does the religious act for the whole of us." "But dou't wife, the bairns and myself bave some ourselves every Sunday afternoon." God hiess the home.

In a western town of 10,000 population and three churches, where men lived under the worst possible conditions, he visited a saloon. It was worse than a New Eng land saloon, hateful as that may be, There were eight half clad girls singing and dancing on a platform and 160 young men drinking, looking on and paying at tention to the girls that served them. He went from floor to floor of that building and found each to be a damning place and filled with men. He got to the door and even the appearance of evil. heard the salvation army drums coming down the street. The stopped in front of the place. The leader of the army, a little Scotch lassie, began to sing and some fellows insulted her. The big saloon keeper instantly knecked him down and said to the girl, "come in here and sing. She entered the place and raised up her plaintive voice in "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight." The girls stopped and listened and tears streamed down their cheeks. "Boys," she said, when she had finished singing "come over with us we are going to have a meeting." Some went and a did he. They sang the old hymns at the meeting and told the old story and she said to the boys, "Boys you must be homesick, you must be friendless, you must want a friend. The Lord Jesus wants to be your friend and won't you come to him." Twenty of those he saw in the salcon went up and knelt at the nercy seat and he went with them. He knelt between a man from Kentucky and | tinue throughout the winter. man from Indiana and they took his hand and blessed him for the words he aid to them. They said to him, "If we had only a chance we would be men.' Only a chance in christian America!

He saw upon a time two men hanging from a pole and he asked who they were He was told "they were jest robbers and we hung them." They were brothers. California paid \$5000 for the body of one of them; Wells Fargo paid a like sum and he had been a western college man. He had been in a saloon and a man robbed him. He shot the man and was a mursaid to the boys. "Hold on a minute" and ments will be made.

### then he addressed them saying, "Boys, for God's sake never go into a gambling hell." Ten thousand dollars was paid for his body. Millions are being paid for jails for such as he and church members are only paying one-fourth of a cent each to keep such from being thieves.

Bob ran the steam drill in a mining camp and a big rock rolled on him one "Can't some one pray for me? I am going to die. Father pray for me. The old man had never prayed, but he took his son's head in his hands and said, "Dear Lord you gave your son for us. Forgive Bob as father looks over the fault of his bairns." They buried Bob, the boys did, and chipped in that old Donald might be-

come their preacher.

Mr. Wiard baptised the minister's child in camp one day and preached that evening. One of the men got up to ask that a hymn be sung, but he couldn't re-member the title. "It had something in it about fountains," he said. "There is a fountain filled with blood." "Yes, yes hat's it, sing it to the old tune I heard my father sing it in Vermont." Mr. Wiard went out afterwards to see how the people lived and entered a place. Some were sleeping on the floor, some sitting around, some standing at the bar and some with the girls. One girl came up to him and one of the boys stopped her. "Don't Bess. This is a minister come round to see us." "Do what you can, sir, for the boys; you can do nothing for me."
A mother died in New England because of this daughter's life. The daughter is now living with a worthy pair in California and the old mother who took her writes, "God bless you for giving us Nelly." Nelly sings in the choir and no one knows her life and its change but three, Perhaps ber mother knows.

#### THE ETHICS OF PLAY. Second of a Series of Sermons at the Bactist Church.

At the Baptist church last evening Rev. F. D. Penney preached the second of a series of popular sermons, the subject being "The Ethics of Play; cr, How Shall We Amuse Ourselves."

In beginning Mr. Penney said the unbent bow soon loses its apring and be-comes useless. The old saying, "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" is too true in the case of many. We all know the value of proper amusement, but to distinguish the point where usefulness ends and usclessness begins is sometimes difficult. That every mind needs relaxation we all realize. I would give little for the boy or girl whose voice does not ring out in merry laughter, and even to those whose heads are sprinkled with gray amusement is necessary. The men who enjoy a joke and who can engage in con versation and amusement for the benefit of children are the happiest. We would not check the fountain of laughter neither would we let it overflow the bounds of seriousness, which is in every nature. The Christian should be the most cheerful of men and his smile should whose children are brothers. There isn't be like a flash of sunlight on the page of a track of a Christian across this country, a book. Of how much benefit such cheera book. Of how much benefit such cheer fulness is to the children who come is contact with it who can tell?

We all need healthful amusement, but there are some forms of amusement to govern himself in the selection of his He said to a friend, "Look at that. amusements. Boys should have amuse be removed. It is so easy to cross the line between diversion and dissipation that every right amusement should be provided at home, where they may be enoyed under the watchful eyes of parents. Home should be the most inviting place m the world to children. A pure life is face the same look he remembered seeing the most beautiful, and to have life pure our ar us ments must be pure. Young peopie, a) d older ones as well, ought to know when they have played cards or danced enough. It is for their interest to know this. I used to play cards, but the time came when I felt that the Lord had greater claims on me and I gave it up. Then there is the theatre. I am frank to admit you ever attend services?" "Yes; the that I should like to see "The Old Homestead," It has been within my reach several times, but I have never had time for

There should be a distinct line between the Christian and un Christian life. The cause of Christianity is worth all we have and all we can do, or it is worth nothing atail. And no one should be a halfhearted Christian. Christians should exemplify self-sacrifice for the sake of Jesus They should put small value on self-indulgence. They should know that the greatest joy is in serving Christ and that to do this acceptably they must shun

FRANCO-AMERICAN CLUB. its Annual Meeting Yesterday and the New Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the Franco-American club was held yesterday and the fol-lowing officers were elected. President, . D. Giroux; vice-president, Joseph T. You: recording secretary, Theophile Perrault; financial secretary, Arthur Bernard; ssistant financial secretary, Gilbert Morin; marshals, Oliver Clement and Albert Beauchamp; trustees, Thomas Goodbeau, Peter Harper and Alex. Bolduc. The reports of the different officers were very gratifying. They showed the club to be in a flourishing condition financially and in other respects. Pool and whist contests have been arranged for by a committee consisting of Thomas Goodbeau, Peter Harper and J. Sauinter. They will con-

### Albert Brown.

Albert Brown, a young man about twenty-five years of age, who had resided in this city about three months, died at the hospital yesterday morning from ty poold fever. He had been ill six weeks. He was a machinist and was employed in Parker's machine shop and was an efficient and faithful employe. His mother, who is a teacher in Roznoke, Va., college, came on in the early stages of his sickness and remained until he was considered out derer. He and his brother became ban- of danger. She then returned and he dits and he killed thirty-nine men. Just suffered a relapse. She will arrive here as they put the rope around his neck he tonight and then the funeral arrange-

# WISE PERSON

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Our goods are perfectly made, fit perfectly and are the product of the best manufacturers in this country. Some few quotations suggesting our

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would be good value at 75c. Ladies' Night Robes, double yoke in back, elegantly trimmed with hamburg

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regular value would be \$1.62<u>4</u>.

less than 89c. \$1.39 Ladies' Trilly Night Robes elaborately trimmed with fine open-work hamburg,

An immense assortment of Ladies' Night Robes, prices range from 50c to \$5. 50c

Ladies' Long Skirts, extra width, trimmed with hamburg worth 69c. sale

\$1.00 Ladies' Long White Skirts. This Skirt worth \$1.25. Ask to be shown thi

Skirt \$1.50 We would call particular attention to

the skirt that we sell at \$1.59. It is worth not less than \$2.00. A fine variety of Ladies' White Skirts, Prices range from 50c to \$5.

Ladies' Drawers, fruit of the loom cotton, absolutely worth 39c.

25 dozen Ladies drawers worth 50c, January sale price 39c.

50c Ladies' Drawers, extra wide, regular value, 6210, January sale price only 50c. We show an immense line of Ladles'

Drawers, prices range from 25c to \$2.75. Our stock of Cotton Underwear is larger than ever before and our prices are low enough to defy any and all competition. We cannot be undersold.

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Iknow not what record of sin qualits me in the ather morld: but this I do know, that I never was er mean as to despise a man because he was poor ause he was ignorant, or because he was black. -John A. Andres.

#### SPECIAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Resides the telegraphic service of the American Press Association, The TRANSCRIPT rectives re-marky the general dispatches of the Universi-Panes, giving the general nerve of the country and He world, and the special dispatches of the New REGIAND ASSOCIATION PRIME, the oldest and best news gathering agency in New England, up to voice to rums and

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MONDAY AFTERNOON, JAN. 13, 1896.

COULD LEAD THE WAY IN THE LEVANT

No nation on the globe has ever lent a more sympathetic ear or a more willing hand to the calls for aid from a suffering or persecuted people in other lands than the United States. A strong appeal for its aid is made now from Armenia where the horrible persecutions are continued, with relentless cruelty by the Moslem, Turks.

The appeal is heard and it would not be a wholly unnatural thing, strange as it may seem at first thought, if the United States should yet, and in the very near future, be the first nation to take forceful measures that may break the ice of cold hearted diplomacy and let loose the dogs of war of the great foreign powers to perform their duty in the cause of humanity and civilization.

While laying no claim to remarkable knowledge of international affairs or to any special gift of prophecy we venture to predict, though the prediction may seem to those wiser than we as unwarranted as it is original, that active measures looking to the suppression of Turkish attrocites will not be taken until the United States takes the initiative. We are the only nation of any naval or military prominence so situated that it could take the first step in this momentous affair without exciting the jealousy of other nations or without being accused of seeking the acquisition of territory or selfish supremacy. We have no use for foreign terri tory. We seek supremacy only on this side of the water. We are bound by no diplomatic bonds that should prevent our going where humanity in the form of suffering American citizenship calls for our aid and protection.

That aid and protection is called for now and with a heart rending voice from Americans dying and suffering from the apprehension of atrocites worse than death. It comes near home when we learn as we did last week of a citizen of the United States from Worcester, though an Armenian by birth, being murdered at Harpoot. If our flag means anything in foreign lands it means protection to our citizens abroad whether citizens by birth

or adoption. It would need no great naval demonstration on the part of the United States to set the wheels in motion that would result in the deserved punishment of the Turks and perhaps in the destruction of the most cruel and, as it is today proving itself to be, the most barbaric power on the face of the earth. A single first-class purpose of protecting American missionaries and bringing them home, with the \*mail United States fleet already there would do it. Such a mission would undoubtedly be welcomed by the foreign powers. In fact we can almost discern evidences that they are waiting for just such an initiative. There may even be a tacit understanding that the break in the ice-bound diplomacy shall be made in this way. The fleets of the great powers gathered in these waters and the vast Russian army mobilizing on the horders of that nation's territory are waiting for something; have already waited too long

May it not be for a flag on a mission of

humanity to lead them into action? We have before us a picture from a London paper of the fleets of the nations in Turkish waters. A majestic swarm of floating destroyers, swinging sullenly but dly to their anchors. In the extreme back-ground are two of our own men-ofwar. A rumor reaches us today from Washington that the superb armored cruiser New York, queen of our navy, is under orders for Turkish waters. Should she go to protect our missionaries she could sail with her companions through a way of honor that would eagerly be opened for her between those fleets of the world and colors would be dipped to the stars and stripes as a God-speed on their mission. The landing of a few marines by the United States would be all that would be asked of her by the foreign powers. Her duty would have been done They would do the rest. Support of the United States in its errand of mercy would he the only excuse wanted for concerted and possibly pre-concerted action, the territorial and other indemnity claims to be settled by arbitration among the powers.

It may seem a strange idea; but stranger things have happened in times of threat. ened war than that the United States, free from all accusation of desire for selfish acquirement and in the performance of a duty to its citizenship should be destined to lead the way in the grandest march of the century toward the civilization of the

#### WANTED.

Northern Berkshire in general (North Adams in particular), always wants some thing; which shows it is not a clam-bed. Just now it wants and for a long time has wanted better railroad connections with central and southern Berkshirs, and a more convenient passenger service between North Adams and Pittsfield. It wants as good care for this service as those which make up the fine suburban service of the eastern end of the Boston and Albany line. It wants trains that can make under strong pressure a better record than twenty unless in fifty minutes.

It may be necessary to have a double track to do it; if so, the double track is wanted. It wants some way of reaching Pittsfield at a later evening hour than the cold.

6 o'clock train from North Adams permits, and having reached that city it would like (or rather it would often feel it to be its duty) to get away again the same evening, and not abuse hospitalities, if it

could do so after 9 or 10 o'clock. It would like to feel that people from here could go west or east on the main line of the Boston & Albany after dark. This, however, is not put down as an imperative want for we have other inviting ways of travelling in those directions, if the road in question does not care to make its ways equally inviting.

While there is an innate modesty that prevents too emphatic expression being given to our local wants, at the same time when North Adams once has a realizing sense that a thing is wanted she has a habit of getting it some way if it is right and proper she should have it. There is no doubt of the right and propriety int his case. The Boston & Albany has made enough out of this section so that it could afford to give us a four-tracked, nickle plated, triple- expansion, gilt-edged service from here to Pittsfield, with a decent smoking car thrown in, if it was asked

But it isn't asked for: only a nice, neat, up-to-date service just such as the Boston & Albany knows so well how to give if it will. And if it doesn't come along pretty soon it wouldn't be at all surprising to hear of some very flattering invitations being sent down to the Housatonia or an independent short line to come up and around to us by the way of South Williamstown and bring a new prosperity to that beautiful valley and additional advantages to our city.

The following about North Adams and Pittefield trains is from the Berkshire Bohemian's Column in the WEEKLY TRAN-SCRIPT:

"If the Boston & Albany would arrange to have a later evening train run up to North Adams from Pittsfield say about 11 o'clock and a similar train leave North Adams at that hour for Pittsfield, it would do much toward getting people of the two cities and towns along the line into closer social and business relations, and would afford opportunities for each to enjoy the evening entertainments of the others. In this case the earlier evening trains with which the Harlem connects could be sent out from Pittsfield earlier. In the sum mer time through passengers from New York would be saved a delay of forty minutes in Pittsfield in this way. Another thing which North Adams wants and wants badly is a daily express train from North Adams to Pittefield and return. As this is known to be the best paying twenty miles of road on the entire Boston & Albany system it would seem as though the officials could see their way to improve its service.15

The Troy Times assures its readers that it has good reason to believe that "Bat" Shea will not have a new trial, as the present week will show. But Supreme Court Justice Mayham has decided that the state must show why Shea should not have a new trial.

All snobdum of America is rejoicing and is flattered. Consuelo Mariborough's hats are setting the fashion in Paris. Great accomplishment for America in this suffering world!

Wanted-worse than can be told, by lumbermen in New England, a few inches of heavy enow. Thousands, and perhaps millions, of dollars depend on the filling of this want.

If you have read all the foreign dispatches of the past few days do you feel that you know anything at all of the purposes of Emperor William? We don't.

Pillebury, Lasker and Steinitz are tied for first place in the world's championman-of-war sent over there for the avowed ship chees series. The Brooklyn boy has fallen down some the past week.

> Who will get the new issue of bondsthe syndicate or individual bidders? No one knows, yet almost every one pretends

has put up such a stiff front against Germany,

One week of city government, and we move, live and have our being about the same as we always have.

#### THE EDITOR'S SHEARS.

FOR TODAY.

I DON'T WANT TO SAIL IN YOUR POND.' [To the Earl of Duuraven.]

Once two small sturdy boys Sailed side by side: Two little "dinky" boats

On a summer tide. Little new sailor sults, Full and complete;

Stout little leather boots On their amail feet. Little white sailor hats.

Auchors in blue-Everything trim and neat, Everything new.

Sailing their tlny boats Happy they play'd. Then Number One spoke And thus he said:

You have got a pretty mug Which my grandma gave your pa: would like to have that mug To take back to my grandma. Now, we have two little saliboats-Mine's the faster one. I bet-

Let us race, and he that wins Grandma's jolly mug shall get. "All right," said Number Two We'll race today;

But let us get some boys To see fair play: If you beat me three times, You'll get my mug.

If I beat you three times, I'll keep it snug." Number One lost twice,

Then he got mad; Was very bad. 'I don't want to play on this side I don't like you any more;

You'll be sorry when you see me Sailing on the other shore: I'll go home and tell my grandma All about this horrid race; How those boys all prowded round me, How I hate this nasty place! don't want to sail in your pond"-

And he stamped his little feet— "I won't ever race with you, If you will not let me beat," -K. D. Lawrence.

Charles E. Winehall of Holbrook street

TRAVELLER'S GUIDE.

Fitchburg Railroad.

Corrected Bec. 16, 1895. Trains Leave North Adams going East—11.57, 15.18, 7.23, 8.52, 14.44 a. in.; 2.22, 14.10 c.200p.m. Going West—7.80, 16.68 a. m.; 12.30, 1.24, 5.00 15.05, 11.65, 03.69, 07.40 p. m. Trains

Trains Arrive from East-10-08 a. st.; 12.10, 1.24, 5.00, 18.05, 11.45, cl.89 p. m. 5.00, 18.05, 11.46, c2.39 p. m.
From West-mi.37, 15.18, 7.25, 9.53, 11.44, 12.00, 2.32, 14.10, 7.00 p. m. c2.00 p. m.
B Runs Dally, except Monday.
L Runs Indity, sunday included.
C Sundays only.

Boston & Albany Railroad.

Trains Leave North Adams, Going South-6.30 ; 4.80 a. m.; ;15.15, 8.00, 6,35 p. m. Trains Arrive from South—8.30 a. m.; 12.95, 2.85, 0.50, 9.10 p. m.

Hoosac Valley Street Radiway.

Leave North Adams—8.10, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 1) 10.48, 11.39 a. m.; 12.15, 1, 1.46, 2.30, 8.18, 4, 4.45, 8.30, 6.18, 7, 7.40, 8.34, 9.10 p. m. 14 to Egionste ouly. Leave Adams—5.30, 6.10, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10, 10.45, 11,60 as m., 14.15, 1. 145, 2.00, 3.10, 4.45, 2.30, 8.15, 7, 7.45, 3.30, 8.16 p. iii. 11 o'clock to Zylonite Only.

Enturdey and Sunday afternoons, leave each end at 1, 1.20, 1.40, 2.40, 2.88, 4.54, c.16, 2.55, 4.40, 4.0, 900, 5.39, 5.69, 5.15, t.50, 7.4, 7.4, 7.45, a.40, 900, 5.39, 5.40, 9.15, t.50, 10, 19.20 p. m. 10, 19.20 to Zylonite

Sunday cars will be run to suit convenience of church attendants.

#### Stages.

Run Daily, except Sundays. NORTH ALAMS AND WILLIAMSTOWN. I BOMAS McMAHON, Proprietor,

Leave Richmond House, North Adams, 8.30 a m.; 12.16, 2.40, 5 p. m., and, Saturdays, 9.10 p. m. Leave Modhahon's Stable, Whitamatows, 6.1> 8.30, 11 a. m.; 1.15 p. m., and, Saturdays, 5 p. m. NORTH ADAMS AND READSHORD. J. E. FAULENER, Proprietor.

#### LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Leave Post Office, North Adams, 1.30 p. m.

Leave Post Office, Readshore, S.s. m.

-A daughter was born January 12 to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Halloran of River street extension. -The W. R. C. will serve a tencent sup-

per Wednesday evening in Gatelick's hall from 5 to 7 o'clock. -The monthly business meeting of the

Lodies' Aid society of the Universalist church will be held tomorrow evening. -William Bordeau and Miss Emma Riel. both of this city, were married at Notre Dame church this morning by Fr. Grenier.

-Guillino Gillotti and Miss Violetta

Sculco of this city were married Saturday by Fr. Grenier at the Notre Dame parish house. -Miss Blanche Millard of Church street will leave soon for Boston, where she will study china painting under the instruc-

avenue. -Beginning today, the cars on the Williamstown line run every half hour, in. stead of every twenty minutes, as formerly. The last car for Williamstown leaves

tion of Mrs. M. A. Frisby of Huntington

at 10.15 p. m. -The negative side won the debate held Sunday afternoon in the F. M. T. A. society rooms. The question was, "Resolved, that the railroad has done more for the advancement of civilization than the press,"

-A plumber at work on some piping in the Arnold print works had a close call from being seriously injured this morning. A wrench with which he was tightening a pipe slipped and he was thrown to the loor below, a distance of fifteen feet. The only injuries he sustained were a number of bruises on his left shoulder and

arm and a general shaking up.

—The regular monthly meeting of the
Northern Berkshire Medical association will be held in the Richmond house parlors tomorrow afternoon at 5 c'clock. Dr. O. J. Brown will entertain the members and Dr. C. W. Wright will address the meeting on "Headache Due to Eye Strain."

-Mrs. John Kennedy of West Main street purchased Saturday evening a piece of silverware for a wedding present to a friend. Later in the exeming she went into Christie's dry goods store and did some shopping. When she was ready to leave the store she missed the present and Jo Chamberlain is England's here to locate it. Mrs. Kennedy thinks it may a thorough search of the store failed to have been taken by some one through mistake, and, if so, the is hopeful of a quick return, for the wedding is to occur

> -About a month ago H. W. Clark & Co., the wholesale grocers, put a wagon on the road for the sale of cigars and candy. It is driven by D. El-dridge and runs to Adams and Williamstown, and is also used to supply the dealers in this city. The wagon is handsomely painted and lettered and is drawn by a large and handsome horse. This arrangement effects a considerable saving over the old method of taking orders and delivering the goods afterwards, and certainly no business concern, local or otherwise, runs a fluer looking turnout through this section.

-T. E. Ives, who has for many years kept a restaurant at the corner of State and Summer streets, is not well pleased with the competition of the night lunch wagon, which took a stand close to his door a few weeks ago. Mr. Ives feels that a man who pays rent and does a regular business should not be subjected to such competition as this and is endeavoring to have the cart removed. The proprietor is allowed to do business Sunday nights till 12 o'clock, while Mr. Ives cannot keep his restaurant open Sunday, day or even ing. Mr. Ives thinks if such competition is to be allowed, the keepers of all small shops would do better to get wagons and stop paying rent.

### AMUSEMENTS.

"The Ternado."

Lincoln J. Carter's ultra sensational scenic melodrama, "The Tornado," at the Columbia tomorrow night, tells an exciting story rather eleverly and is aided in catching the clusive dollar by some marvellous scenic and mechanical effects. notably the tornade scene, a singularly effective shipwreck, a new open sea scene with waves dashing high in the sir, Chicago harbor at night and a rather creepy but highly effective counterfeit of the dissecting room of a Chicago medical college, in which, during a lecture delivery of the dissection of the d ered the students over a dead body, the happy solution of the story is discovered The first three scenic effects rank among the most startling effects ever shown This is especially true of the tornado scene, in which the sound wind blows, caused by a clever and intricate construction of powerful electric fans, and sends electricity streams across the canvas skies Trees are uprooted, houses demolished and everything detachable in eight of the adience joins in the mad serial revels.

N. W. Potter of the firm of Potter & is coasined to his home with a severe Davis, Kempville grocers, is unable to be out because of illness.

# REBELS CREEPING

A Sunday Skirmish With Troops but Twelve Miles From Habana.

Spanish Officials Report Victories on Their Side. .

Congress Seriously Considering Granting et Belligarent Rights to Cubans.

Washington, Jan. 18.—A dispatch from Habana save that with the exception of an engagement yesterday between Spanish troops and a band of 500 insurgents at Managua, only 12 miles southeast of Habana, there is nothing very important or authentic to shronicle of the movements

of the insurgents.

The attack on Managua still remained indoubt at last accounts. It was being held by volunteers, but regular troops were dispatched from here to its assist ance. It is reported that the insurgents have burned several houses and have killed a number of defenseless citizens. It is said that 500 insurgents have been killed in the skirmishing in Matanzas

Province.

Quintin Bandera is reported to be moving in the neighboring of Guina Marinda.

The insurgents under Louis Peres and Munoz are said to have had many wounded

in an engagement near Siguania.

A small schooner has been captured at Calbarien, which was engaged in supplying the insurgents with groceries and am-

Minister de Lome yesterday received a cablegram from the Spanish minister of foreign affairs, stating that as a conscquence of the recent engagements the main body of the insurgents have divided into several bands and cannot retreat. Followed by the loyal torces, Maceo has taken to the north and Gomez to the south

of the province of Pinar del Rio. The commander-in-chief, in a telegram from Habana, says that the columns of Colonel Galvis and General Aldecea, hav-ing knowledge of the location of Gomez, after a night's march of 15 miles, reached after a light's march of 10 linies, removed the rear guard of Maximo Gomez's forces, which were effecting a quick retreat, and succeeded in engaging the enemy, who must have suffered greater losses than those left dead on the field, judging by the number of dead horses left after their re-trest. Maximo Gomez is closely followed and so is Maceo.

In the remainder of the island there is

nothing new except occasional destruc-tion of railroads and other outrages by local bands of small importance, proving that the insurrection is only active whore the leaders are. The fact that the two principal chiefs are in Pinar del Rio makes easier the success in the eastern part of the island.

The Spanish minister emphatically declares that the telegrams relating to the capture of San Cristobal, Hahia Honda other towns and the landing of Calixeto Garcia are false.

#### Considered by Congress

Assurances have been given by the house committee on foreign affairs to those members who are particularly interested in the movement to secure recognition for the Cuban revolutionists that the question will be thoroughly and carefully investigated and that a report will be made upon it to the house at the earliest day consistent with such an investigation.

A sub-committee of the foreign affairs committee has been designated by Chairman Hitt to take jurisdiction of the Cuban matter, with these members: Adams (Pa.), chairman; Draper (Mass.); Hitt (Ills.). Some impatience has been voiced in the house because a resolution to recog-nize the revolutionists has not been brought forward and passed immediately, and patriotic and sentimental reasons have been urged in support of this feeling

The friends of "Cuba free" feel certain that there is a great majority in congress on their side; that whenever a resolution on their side; that whenever a resolution might be brought up it could be passed with an entinglastic demonstration, which would materially encourage the struggling revolutionists, and that outside of the capital there prevales a great popular sentiment on the side of the revolu

The foreign affairs committee racog nizes fully the existence of this sentiment, but the sub-committee does not feel justi-fied in acting without the usual deliberation, nor is it at all certain that they will deem it expedient for this government to recognize Cubs at once.

The house has passed a resolution calling upon the state department for all the information it has on the Cuban question, and the secretary of state has informe Chairman Hitt that the evidence will be given him as soon as possible. Recently President Palms of the Cuban junta left a great mass of documents with the sec-retary of state, and beside these there is on file in the department much corre spondence with Spain incidental to the present uprising. Clerks are compiling these papers into form for the use of the house, and in the opinion of members of the sub-committee no action should be recommended to the house until these papers have been considered.

If, in the meantime, the insurgents manage to capture Habana, their victory would be such unmistakable evidence of the status of the revolution that the com-mittee would not he state to ask the house to recognize the state of belligerency with out delay. Members of the sub-committee do not hesitate to say this.

But there is a disposition among them to question the accuracy of newspaper reports of military movements in Cuba, for they doubt whether the correspondents are in a position to keep accurately posted, or whether true reports are possible under the conditions prevailing in Cubs.

Apart from the sentimental reasons, there is a commercial phase of the ques tion of which the foreign affairs members are not allowed to remain in ignorance. Recognition of belligerency would confer upon Spain the right to search American upon Spain the right to search American shipping for contraband of war, and the shipping interests are not pleased with this. Then there are sugar investments in Cuba held by citizens of the United States amounting to \$30,000,000, which have suffered enormous damage at the hands of the rebels in their raids.

So long as the revolution has no recog-nized standing. Spain is responsible for these losses, and the owners of plantations hope to be able to secure reparation from her at some future day. When this gov-ernment formally takes notice of the fact that a state of war exists in Cubs, our citizens will have no ground upon which to base their claims. These considerations tend to retard rec

Whether they will defeat the movement for recognition remains to be <del>900</del>11.

## TOWN TALK.

To the people of North Adams:

I have appointed Mr. A. L. Briggs as agent for me in this vicinity for Mahan's Hair Preservative. This preservative stops the hair from falling out, puts the scalp in a healthy condition and cures fever of the scalp. The following business men of this city have used my preparation and I refer you to them: J. E. Miller, 66 Main street.

J. A. Bond, Wilson house.

Dr. F. A. Bragg, Kimball block.

W. L. Potter, North Adams Savings

These gentlemen have used my preparation and can recommend it. This notice is for the benefit of those people who said to me that they had rather see it tried

before purchasing. Respectfully, ARTHUE J. MAHAN, Propr. A. L. Briggs, Agent, Jones' block, North Adams.

DIED.

At Pownal, Vt., Jan. 10, Charles L Magee, aged 68 years.

BORN.

MARRIED

In this city, January 12, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Halloran.

In this city, Jan. 11 by Rev. Fr. Gremier, Gullino Gillotte and Muss Violetta Sculco, both of this city.

In this city, Jan. 13, by Rev. Fr. G enier, William Bordeau and Miss Emma Rici, noth of this city.

### To Advertisers.

New advertisements or changes of advertisements for DAILY TRANSCRIPT must be received not later than 9 o'clock a. m. to lusure insertion same day.

For WEEKLY TRANSCRIPT new advertisements or changes must be received not later than 12 o'clock Wednesday, to insure insertion the same week.

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Four desirable tenements with all modern improvements \$10 to \$30 per month.

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LOST

Fox Terrier. Answers to name of "Jack. Sanborn Tenney, Williamstown. 1981f

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The awful Tornado; the Great Rigging

Scene; six tars furling a monster sail. The colfision of two ocean steamers at full speed. The mighty open sea scene with waves running mountain high; dissecting room of a medical college; Chicago harbor at night, and many other scenic wonders.

offier scould.

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Keep ad your play-bill promises."

—Lincoln J. Carter. 35, 50, 75 SEATS ON SALE AT BARTLETT'S, SATURDAY

JANUARY 11, 9 A. M.

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\$1.38, made to sell for \$2.00. Men's "Storm King" Rubber Boots (to the hip) now \$2.98 made to sell for \$4.00.

Men's Woonsooket Dull, Short Boots \$2.45, made to sell for \$3.00.

Ledies' Jersey Clook, Black fleece-lined Alaskas 96c, made to sell for \$1.50. Ladies' Boston "Cape May" Rubbers.

plain, now 42c, made to sell for 65c. Men's Heavy Buckled Arctics, Bay State make, now \$1.15, made to sell for

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Personalities.-This Boston Lady Agrees with Te as to Facts.

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Hotel Roxbury, 227 Roxbury street, says my kidneys and I have had no recurrence of them, and the "dizzy spells," from which I formerly suffered so much, left entirely and I am indeed invigorated, and my home duties seem so light compared with what they formerly were. Further-mure I feel it a duty to tell what Doan's

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Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

## AT ADAMS TODAY.

Death of James Duane Burton.

Last Saturday the town of Adams lost one of her best citizens by the death of James Duane Burton, who spent the largest portion of his life in town, and who for forty years had occupied the Burton homestead on Commercial street. Mr. Burton was born at Stafford's bill, the original settlement of Cheshire, and was a son of Anthony and Sally Burton.

He lived several years with his parents and then went to Rhode Island. In a little while he returned and started working at his trade, carpentering and wagon-making. In 1840 he married Phoebe Wells of Stafford's hill. In 1850 he again went to Rhode Island, taking his family with him. He remained in that state un-til 1856, when he came back to Adams with his father, and bought his Commer mercial street home, in which he had lived ever since.

Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Burton, and of these six only two survive, Dr. Charles W. Burton and Mrs. George Anthony, both of this town. There are no other near relatives except three nieces, and a nephew who lives in Rhode Island.

Mr. Burton was a man of strong character and good common sense. He was always quiet and unassuming, but was one of the best known and popular men in town. Although he never held public office, it was a matter of his own choice and he was content to remain a plain citizen and attend to his business in his earnest and honest manner. He was a member of no church, but attended Universalist service.

The deceased was able to be about town until about four years ago, when a severe attack of grip seized upon him. The following winter he had a second attack of the disease and never railed. By means of his strong constitution he fought his illness when many another man would have died. Death came at 10 30 o'clock Saturday night.

The funeral will occur from his late home at 2.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Zabner officiating.

A Coming Musical Treat.

The high school seniors have arranged for a concert to be given at the opera house Tuesday evening, February 11, by the Boston Ideal Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar club. This combination is one of international reputation and will provide one of the best musical entertainments ever given in town. The proceeds will go towards paying the expense attached to the reception at commencement time and the public should assist the young men and women by a ready purchase of tickets. Mrs. Eulie Gay Rushmore, the reciter who appeared here recently with the empire quartet will assist the club.

Arranding a Pool Tournament. Members of Division 3, A. O H., of this own and Divisions 4 and 10 of North Adams are arranging for a pool tourna-ment to be played soon. The plan is to have six men from each society constitute team and to play six games, two on the table of each division, with one man from each team as contestants. The games will be 100 points and the team sooring the most points will win the contest.

#### Foresters Elect New Officers.

Grevlock court of Catholic Foresters elected these new officers Sunday: Chief Ranger, Rev. M. J. Coyne; vice-chief ranger, Mrs. Joseph Somers; recording ecretary, Thomas F. Murphy; financial secretary, Patrick Tumpane, treasurer, James McGaughn, conductors, Michael Kane and C. Palmer ; inside sentinel, John McDonald; outside sentinel, Miss Nora Callaban, trustees, Edward Riley and James E. Cadagon, auditors, Patrick Tumpane and John McDonald, representative to general court, James E. Cadagon. Installation will occur a week from Tuesday evening.

A fair will be held at Hermann hall, Spring street, four evenings beginning February 11, by the Einigkeit association. A series of entertainments have already been arranged and the committee of arrangements is working arduously to make the affair successful. The entertainments will be as follows. Tuesday evening the 11th, a humorous pantomimo act by C. H. Stoeter Jr.; Wednesday evening, gymnas-tic exhibition by the Turn Verein Vorwaert.; Thursday evening, concert by the Verein Concordia, German singing club, Saturday evening, dance and awarding of articles. Music will be furnished every evening by Germania band.

The regular meeting of the Young Men's Literary club will occur at the Congregation house this evening at 7.30

Richard Harold has taken the position of delivery clerk for Grover J. A. Sherman

At the Thistle Quoit clup's concert the 21st, Henry Brothers will render a cornet solo composéd by L. A. Dean of this town. The piece is new and is very pretty. Mr. Dean is a natural musician with very little musical education and his friends are gratified to learn that this composition is great success

Principal Hall of the high school will read a paper on "College Athletics," at tonight's meeting of the Fortnightly club, which will be held with Rev. Dr. Zahner,

Church Matters.

CHESHIRE.

The feeling over the church affair has not subsided, for although the Harding party are in possession—keeping a guard employed, which stays in the church nights, when no one seems to care to even try to take the church from them. The simple breaking (if it can be called a simple affair; is enough to make discreditable this manner of procedure Service was held in the morning as usual, there being some seventy-five persons present, but there was not a dozen of the members who protested at the election, they going to the Methodist Episcopal church, or staying at home. The preacher took his text from 2nd Corinthians, 12th chapter, 9th yerse, 2nd clause. "For my strength is made perfect in weakness," and he read the forty-sixth psalm, tenth verse: "Ba stil' and know that I am God."

the sermon was a good one and a shrewd one, withat Mr. Harding spoke with feeling, and his prater showed that trouble weighed beavily on his mind, al though in his cormon he said that he had rever been hat pier than in the fast two aceks. The discourse was one to show that when trouble and weakness come then is the time to keep stilland, co God in prayer. Mr. Harding besought i-

should not go where they could hear harsh things said—keep still and hear nothing, was the sermon's moral. It was a diplomatic sermon, but one to which no one could take exception. Mr. Harding further said he was not speaking for himself and had no ill feelings against any one. The sermon was listened to with rapt attention, and gave one the impres sion that Mr. Harding was a man able to steer in stormy weather.

The only stenographer in town, Miss Mary E. Cole took down the sermon of the Rev. Mr. Harding at the Baptist church yesterday.

Deacons Darby and Whitaker of North Adams were in town Saturday and called at the Baptist parsonage and held a session with the descons and some others.

#### WILLIAMSTOWN.

Dr. Hull assisted by Dr. Lloyd per-formed an operation of "tying off" for aneurism of artery upon the arm of William Robinson Sunday afternoon. It was a "bad arm and needed prompt attention" was Dr. Hull's expression

Dr. Hull reports the birth of a son to John Montgomery and wife of Williamstown station.

George Sanders is convalescent. Williams lodge F. and A. M. will give to the public their first of a series of entertainments in the opera house at 8 o'clock, January 15. It is fortunate that so fine an organization as the Williams college Glee, Mandolin and Banjo club is to favor us while constant demands call it elsewhere. Prices are low and there is no excuse for staying away. Secretary A E. Evens will have other surprises for

The Fitchburg railroad is eveldently doing a good business at present at this place. New seats have been placed in the men's waiting room at the depot and the room presents a more prosperous apnearance. Students are asked to give the name of the iron figure head on each division arm and tell where in town the same representation head may be seen. Miss Neilie Boseley, who has been visiting at L. C. Torrey's for some time, has

returned to Gloversville, N. Y. Asa Bosely, after a pleasant visit with friends, has returned to Spencer, N. Y. Rev. William Slade and wife will receive the ladies of the Congregational church at the lecture room at 3 o'clock p. m. Wednesday. A project will be presented. An informal tea will be served.

R. R. Clark has been drawn on jury.

For china, glass tin ware go to A. W. Hunt, No. 20 Spring St., new 10-cent store. Laundry, 72 Main St, Charley Won, proprietor. I will call for washing, when

laundered will deliver to owners. IN NEW YORK STATE.

Business Depressed and Bad Effects From Canadian Competition.

The workings of the Gorman-Wilson tariff continue to disturb business in this section. Merchants report a considmable falling off in their sales from those of last year, which has been rather discouraging to them. The lumber busi-Dess is dull, Canadian competition having nearly ruined it. One of the largest manufacturers of lumber has announced his determination not to purchase logs this winter, which will be a heavy blow to timber owners in this region, as it deprives many of our farmers of the

moans to obtain ready cash as heretofore. This town also possesses me of the largest sole leather tanneries in the state, which m a few weeks will close Its doors for an indefinite period, thus throwing out of employmenst 125 men. The cause of this suspension is claimed to be everproduction, but what has been the cause of overproduction? Never in the history of the tanning business in this town has there been any difficulty in marketing the leather produced in our tannery until the Democratic party came into power with its maladministration of the financial policies of the nation. This blow will fall heavier on business than any other, as it was the chief industry here, and will reduce rly every employee to ic

The triumph of the Republican party on Nov. 5 tended to enliven business in every circle wherein foreign competition does not come, but where our business men find the cheaper products of Canada and the old world coming into competition with our home products there are stagnation and loss and always will be until the grand triumph of the Repubhean protection party in 1896 shall sweep out of existence the last vestige of the Democratic free trade business destroying administration. God speed the time when this nation shall be freed from the presence of the Democratic party in every branch of government-national, state and municipal MAROUS W. MCKELLIP.

Holland, N. Y.

What London Knows,

Our (British) export of woolen goods shows a satisfactory increase to most countries, though of the total gain of £188,317 for the month no less than £103,509 appears in the exports to the United States. The recovery in this quarter may be judged of from the fact that the total shipments of woolen goods to the states in October last year were valued at only £14,630. An almost sımılar expansion is shown as regards worsted fabrics, for, whereas shipments to America in October, 1894, were valued at only £111,229, they last month reached a total of £455,589. During the current year nearly one-half of our total exports of worsted goods have gone to the United States, the value being £4,-064,880 as compared with £910,176 an the first ten months of 1894.—London

Fight Shy of Them. The Reform club or the Tariff Reform club, more properly the Free Trade club, of New York has for years fought American interests and American prosnerity by the assistance of the importing classes. Recently this organization has devoted considerable effort to the currepcy question, and some of the matter issued has found its way into protection Republican newspapers With an entering wedge to the columns of Republican new spapers, this free trade organization has naturally gone back to the advocacy of the "policy of destruction"-namely, free trade. We earnestly ask all protection editors to scrutinize every paragraph received from this agent of foreign interests. It is not safe to use matter that is issued by the Reform club apon any subject

Dull Times Coming. It has always been claumed that the New York stock market reflects the fufriends to keep closed mouths at this time "me of bus. est. If so, there are some and do no taikin. More than this, they mighty del. times in eight

### FREE TRADE SHODDY

LARGE INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF FOREIGN RAGS.

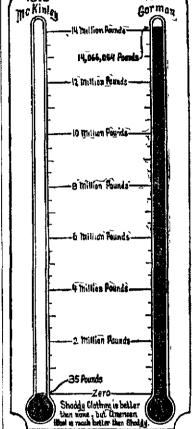
The Port of Staff Being Used to Clothe Americans-Senator Hill's "Raghag Production" a Fact-Democrate Dislike the Use of the Word "Shoddy."

"Anticipating that their bill would flood the country with shoody, they (the Democrats in congress) were careful to 'snake' that odious word entirely out of the new law."

This, from the New York Press, is hardly accurate. The word shoddy does appear in section 279 of the Gorman tariff, where the tariff is reduced to a 20 per cent ad valorem rate from the specific duty of 80 cents per pound that ex-

SHODDY (Rags, Noils, and Weste) Produced in Foreign Countries, and Mc 'seted in the United States

Fiscal Years Ending June 30



isted under the McKiuley law. This was equivalent to an average ad valorem rate of 52% per cent, so that the reduction made in the rate of duty by the free

traders was 71.48 per cent.

Now as to the "snaking." This has been done by the bureau of statistics of the trensury department. Under the Mc-Kinley law all of these adulterants were classified together as shoddy, noils, waste, rags, mungo, flock, etc. For purposes of comparison it is necessary to use the same classification, although under the Gorman law they are returned under different heads, some free and some datable. The total showing is a bad one for the iree trade tariff law. But we don't untand to allow them to escape from the responsibility of having made a law which admits free of duty, as in the case of rags, or of such a trifling duty as that upon shoddy.

The fact remains that the imports of all of these wool adulterants have increased in one single year of the new law over 16,000,000 pounds above the imports of the same articles during the whole four years of the McKinley law, and as they were once scoured wool, worked over and over until they had ost the length and strength of durability of pure new wool, they are stall as clean as scoured wool, though thoroughly rotten. The increase in these importations during the first year of the new law has been so great as to exceed the entire yield of scoured wool produced in the annual clip of our two largest wool growing states of California and Texas.

But the free traders sometimes object to comparisons being made with 1894. so let us look back to 1898. And as they have "snaked" the word shoddy from their statistics we will accommodate them by using their own term-rags. Here are the imports of rags for the two fiscal years ending June 80, 1893 and

IMPORTS OF FOREIGN RAGS TO BE MANUFAC-TURED INTO CLOTHING FOR AMERICAN MEN, WOMEN AND CRILDREN, 

Increase of free trade rags...... 14,006,019 Under the McKinley tariff the protectionists were not ashamed to call this stuff sheddy. But the free traders shirk sheddy and "snake" the word out of their statistical reports. But what's in a name? There are the facts. Farmers can tell the quantity of rags that are being used in place of their wool. The people can tell the quantity of foreign rags that they must wear on their backs beardes all the shoddy goods that are coming from Yorkshire. And everybody knows the increase in our supply of foreign free trade rags. Senator Hill did well to stigmatize this shoddy tariff as 'a ragbag production "

Pen Paralysis.

No Democratic editor's finger is penning with pride an article to show the enormous demand for our farm pronots in the markets of the world. This 18 all, left to the imagination. - Springfield (Mass.) Union.

### Fun of the Future.

It will be worth a good deal to see The San figating for the re-election of Mr. Cleveland should be receive the Democratic Lomination in 1896. A vessei of water kept steaming on the

stove will keep the atmosphere in a good condition for house plants. Do not allow too many plants among the blackberry and raspberry plants. A smaller number of thrifty plants will give better results.

If trees or plants are neglected, the results will hardly prove satisfactory, but with good management fruit growing may readily be made profitable.

Autumn is the best time for planting raspborries, as they start to grow so early in the spring that it is often impossible to bring the ground into proper condition until the plants have made a considerable

### POTTERY IMPORTS.

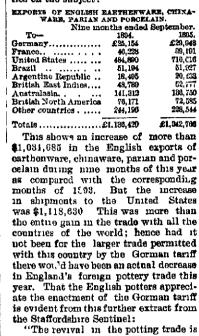
BORMAN TARIFF MAKES BUSINESS FOR ENGLAND.

British Exports to America Equal Best Days of Their Trade-Dull In Ohio and New Jersey-More Than Half a Million Lost to American Labor.

The revival in the potting trade is now generally acknowledged, and throughout the important di North Staffordshire aigns of activity among manufacturers are observable. The American trade still exhibits an all round improvement, and the demand for goods is as great as ever. In the home market trade continues steady and moderately brisk, but there is not the same activity displayed as in the Amertrade.—Staffordshire (England)

Not only is it in the English woolen trade that there has been a revival of business under the Gorman tariff. The prosperity that was guaranteed to foreigners when our free traders passed that bill has also extended to the pottery interests of Europe, as the foregoing extract from an English paper, published in the heart of their pottery industry, shows. Here are some interesting statistics on the subject:

228,544



now strikingly manifest. The aggregate exports of packages for 1895 up to last Friday was 101,064, which total has only been passed four times since 1869. These occasions were the years 1869, 1871, 1872 and 1883. Then it must be borne in mind that two months yet remain of the present year, so that the exports to America for 1895 bid fair to reach in volume those of the brightest days of the potting trade."

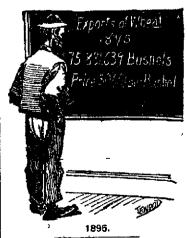
This additional proof of Professor Wilson's successful un-American work is undoubtedly as gratifying to the "placed old fogies" of the Cobden club who reside in this country as it is to their friends on the other side. That every section of the United States is feeling the effect of the increased imports of foreign earthenware can be seen from the following English statistics:

EARTHENWARD EXPORTS TO AMERICA.			
Ezp	Exports, Jan. 1 to Oct. 1.		
To-	1805	1894.	
Boston	£98,449	£12 845	
New York	24,037	19,108	
Philadelphia		2,804	
Baltimore		14,745	
San Francisco	8,543	2,908	
Mobile, etc	18,077	11,253	

Of earthenware this year's English exports from Liverpool alone in nine months were worth \$178,685 more than in 1894. The entire increase was \$1,-118,686, more than half of which rep sents a loss to American labor engaged in the pottery trade.

The Farmer Learns His Lesson





Want Money to Handle. The consumer would rather pay the tax which the Democrats say is hidden in the protective system of duties and have money to spend than to escape th t tax and have no money to spend.—Wil-minston (Del.) Morning News.

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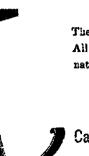
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she was a great sufferer for years from kidney troubles, and tried many so called remedies with very limited results. Her escription of the vagaries of the disease is worthy of a physician. She says "Kidney complaint is one of moods—at times you suffer intensely, and then again you are comparatively free from its tortures. Just so, spasmodic pains, and then a Juli, and so you meribe it to only a stitch, while the disease is insidiously working your death." Mrs. McKinnon says: "Some time ago I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised at George Burwell's pharmacy, Boylston street, and Park square. I began taking them at once, and nothing I had been taking acted as quickly or effectively. One box entirely dispelled the pains in

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Hartwellville and Readsboro, Vt.

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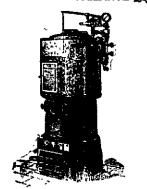
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A LEGAL ABDUCTION.

Baby Pride Seized From Maternal Grandmother by a Sheriff.

The Father Will Fight For His Offspring.

An Interesting Case Which Has Caused Much Commolion in Lynn.

LYNN, Mass , Jan. 13 .- Walter M. Pride, unmindful of the logal struggle for his possession between father and mother-inlaw, is enjoying his wee self behind ironbarred doors in the domicile of Deputy Sheriff Caswell in East Lynn.

His legal abduction from the residence of Mrs. Effie Saunders, the mother-in-law. at 52 Cherry street, Saturday evening, by the sheriff, assisted by Harry Browning of Waltham, has caused considerable com-ment. The other, William F. Pride, did not have a hand in the affair, and at pres ent he is at his home in Farmington, N. H. Sheriff Caswell, in explaining his action, said that he had a writ from the supreme court of Boston to seize the 2-year-old heir of Pride and produce him

in court Tuesday morning so that the law might determine who really ought to have the child, the father or the mother-He visited the residence of the motherin-law at 58 Cherry street, and not finding her in, he asked Mr. Browning to help him in the search. They found two babies in a room up stairs, and Mr. Browning was able to identify his youthful relative by the unmistakable features. An inmate of the house attempted to prevent the ab-

duction, but the sheriff with his puny burden succeeded in making his escape to the street. He was refused clothing for the child, so a blanket was secured, and in this the prize baby was most smothered. Arriving at the sheriff's home, the child was turned over to more gentle hands, and the heir to the Farmington shoemaker's wealth has now regained his cheery demeanor, and is

as happy as a cricket. Mrs. Saunders' Story.

It was rumored that an attempt was to be made by the mother-in-law to secure the child from the sheriff, but Mrs. Saunders denied that the idea ever en-tered her head. "I can prove," she said, "that Pride gave me that child to bring up. Walter was a tine thing when." up. Walter was a tiny thing when I first took him, and now he enjoys the best of health.

You see Pride, who is a New Hamp-shire man, married my daughter in Wal-tham in 1893, and she died during the fol-lowing October. Pride came to me and asked me to take the baby, and I con-sented. For some time now he has been trying to get the baby back, but I will prevent it if I can."

From Mr. Browning, who is a brotherin-law of Mr. Pride, it was learned that the father attempted three months ago to obtain the child, but the infant was spirited away. The child was then traced to Boston and then to Medford. Last week it was learned that Mrs. Saunders was at 91 Bickford court, and here the sheriff first attempted to serve the writ, but she was not there.

Mrs. Saunders will appear in court to-

morrow as a contestant for the child, and will be represented by ex-District Attorney H. F. Hurlbut of this city. Pride will be represented by Hon, B. B. Johnson of Waltham.

#### For Alwood to Consider.

BOSTON, Jan. 13.-Rev. Frederick N. Upham, paster of the Baker Memorial church, Dorchester, previous to beginning his sermon yesterday, spoke as follows, re-garding Congressman Atwood's case: "The congressional district in which we live is at the present time represented at Washington by a man who has practically confessed himself guilty of a most serious breach of trust while an officer of the city of Boston in recent years. He no longer represents the intelligent, upright, law-abiding people of this district. The charges against him are far enough sustained to totally unfit him for the further performance of his duties at Washington, and out is the only course left for this man. As he anticipated the verdict of the jury by withdrawing his suit, let him also anticipate the indignant verdict of the people at the polls by at once resign-

Serious Charge Against a Preacher.

Hammond of the South Tamworth Methodist church suddenly disappeared Dec. 16, and since that date no services have been held in that church. He took nave been held in that church. He took charge here four years ago and was very popular, and brought his wife with him. Last October a young man appeared in Tamworth, giving out that he was a son of the pastor, sent there in the interests of his mother, who now goes by the name of Mrs. John Boyden, in Reading, Mich., and who claimed to be the legal wife of Mr. Hammond. Meanwhile letters have arrived from Mrs. Boyden stating that tals man had four wives.

#### Honeymoon at Newport.

Newport, B. I., Jan 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hazard Parry Belmont, who were married at New York, Saturday, by Mayor Strong of that city, arrived here Saturday night. A large crowd had gathered to obtain a good view of the divorced wife of William K. Vanderbilt in her new capacity as the wife of Mr. Belmont. Mr. and Mrs. Belmont paid no attention to the curious crowd, and were speedily driven to Belcourt, Mr. Belmont's combination stable and villa. There the couple will spend a few days of their honeymoon. The Marble palace is still closed.

Samuel Ross' End.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 13.—Samuel Ross Agrocate, Jan. 13.—Samuel Ross, a grocer, who disappeared from Natick, Mass., three months ago, was found dead in a room at Hotel Hopkins yesterdar. Ross, after his disappearance, which event caused a sensation, went to San Francisco, staying there only two hours and then re turning east. Other than this his wan derings are unknown. He shot himselthrough the right temple, death being in stantaneous. He left a note saving that his wife and child were dead, and that he had gone to join them.

### Paristioners Not a Unit.

NASHUA, N. H., Jan. 13.—The difficulty in the Roman Catholic parish of the Immaculate Conception resulted in a meeting of the scooders yesterday, at which it was decided to form a new parish. A petition to Bishop Bradley to this effect was read and numerously signed, and a committee were appointed to secure a further list of names. Much hard feeling

against leading members of the Immact late Conception parish was manifested and several strong speeches were made.

Hints at Immerality.

BEVERLY, Mass., Jan. 13.-Rev. William A. Thurston, paster of the Methodist church, in his sermon yesterday, scathingly denounced the class sociables and dances of the Beverly high school. For 20 years these dances have been given, and of them Pastor Thurston said that they of the Pacific ocean. This news was were kent up till late how the vertice of the Pacific ocean. This news was of thein Paster Thurston said that they were kept up till a late hour, the young women being without chaperones, that punch in unlimited quantities was provided and that card playing was a well Port Townsend. matropized adjunct

Boston, Lin, 12-Rev. George J. Lind-ner, author, theological scholar and a linguist capable of speaking fluently eight languages, pleaded guilty to the indict-ment charging him with the forgery of four checks, while connected with the Rescue mission on Kneeland street. Judge Bond suspended sentence, pending the receipt of new evidence. Lindner is a native of Yonkers, N. Y., and is 28 years

#### Bad Man Corralled.

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—William Smith, more commonly known as "Tiny" Smith, a New York crook, who was arrested in this city Friday night, together with five pro-fessional beggars, has confessed to having robbed letter boxes in many cities, besides uttering several bogus checks. Smith has a long term to serve in Sing Sing. Three of the men arrested with Smith were "railroaded" out of town yesterday by Inspector Watts.

#### Held Newton Bonds.

HAVERHILL, Mass , Jan. 13 .- Nathaniel K. Johnson, a shoe manufacturer of this city, died yesterday. He was one of the bondholders in the Newton (N. H.) bond case, and, as he was one of the holders of the alleged forged bonds, his death will still further complicate affairs. Mr. Johnson leaves considerable property. He was

#### Moses Dow Dend.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Jan. 13. — Moses Dow, ex-mayor of this city, died last night, aged 78 years. He was at one time leading maunfacturer, having retired six years ago. He was a member of the governor's council for three years, and served two years on the state ballot com-mission.

Fram the Deep.

sel that may have been wrecked. Providence's Prospective Library. PROVIDENCE, Jan. 13 .- The city library trustees have accepted plans of Providence architects for a new library building, and

#### Unnecessary Starvation

LOWELL, Mass., Jan. 13.—Amos Green, aged 65 years, was found dying from want in destitute circumstances yesterday, al-though he had bankbooks in his clothing with over \$1800 on deposit. He died after removal to the hospital.

#### Water Too Cold.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 13.—Peter Cross of Fall River, Mass., jumped into the bay vesterday, and finding the water very cold called for help. Two men on the steamer Pequot fished him out, and Cross said he was glad to be alive.

#### New England Srisis.

Samuel Ruff was killed by Henry Mar-tin at Unionville, Conn. Mrs. Frost rot a verdict of \$300 against

Rev. J. D. Waldron at Saco, Me. C. H. Parker of Athol, Mass., was killed by a woman at Baltimore.

mitted suicide while temporarily insans. Three wheel shops at Bristol, Conn., were nearly destroyed by fire. Loss, \$6000. John P. Spaulding and John L. Bremer,

two leading business men of Boston, are

The principal business black in New buryport, Mass., was completely gutted by fire, causing a total loss of \$21,000.

Horace P. Snow, a former salesman for Ross W. Welr. New York, was arrested at Boston on a charge of embezzlement from

Mark Peterkin was arrested at Boston as a fugitive from justice, he being wanted

on the charges of arson and larceny in Ontario. The ice on the river at Suncook, N. H., where three daughters of Robert Hum-

phrey were skating, gave way and one of the trio was drowned. Frank H. Lummus, who owned two of

the largest cotton gin factories in the south, died at his home in Brooklyn. He was born in Massachusetts in 1834.

Joseph C. Earle died suddenly at New of hemorrhage of the brain. Ho was well known throughout the state, and

fracture of the skull, caused by being hit by a car while leaning from his own car. The Waldo County (Me.) Bar associa-tion adopted resolutions condemning the

action of ex-County Attorney Bunnell in assailing Attorney Bowden in a circular. The incoming of the new year by the calendar according to the Greeks and Russians was noted at Loweli, Mass., by the arrest of 20 Greeks for card playing on the Lord's day.

Bradford academy, died at West Newbury, Mass., aged 95 years. She was the widow of the late Major Carr, and entered Bradford academy in 1825.

The coroner's jury investigating the mysterious death of Mrs. Blanche Parridge's infant at Freeport, Me., rendered a verdict that the child came to its death from causes to the jury unknown.

Hight shipwreeked sailors of the schooner Charles H. Fabens reached New York as passengers on the steamer Madiana from St. Kitts. The Fabous was owned by C. E. and B. H. Fabous of Salem, Mass.

crease of about \$28,000,000 over the pre-ceding year. Last year's exports amounted to \$39,019,578, as against \$83,305,208 in 1892.

#### A Horrible Crime.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 13.—Patrick Morris, a white railroad hand, and his colored wife live in a flat a few miles above the wite five in a flat a few inness above the city on the opposite side of the river. On account of their difference in color, and as they were charged with keeping a disor-derly place for negroes, there has been a growing sentiment against them. They were sitting in their boat when a body of men came down and set fire to the hull. They sought shelter on shore, and as soon as they made their appearance they were riddled with bullets. The woman was killed outright, but the man fell crimied and the two were burned to asher with the boat.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 13.—Ten days of suffering from cold and privation on a rocky bluff, during which time seven of the crew, including the captain and mate, met their deaths, the other mate and seamen met with terrible accidents, tells the brought to this city yesterday by the tug Tyee, which had but a few hours before landed 14 members of the ill-fated crew at

## TO KILL ALL WHITES.

Part of the Plot Said to Have Been Concected by Jameson,

England and Germany Are at Swords' Points.

Visions of Future Complications Loom Up ... Setore the Public's Eyes.

London, Jan. 18 .- A dispatch from sources sympathizing with the Transvas: government in Johannesburg asserts that the plot for Dr Jameson's said and the coincident uprising of the Uitlanders were the most shameful in history The black-est part of the plot, the dispatch asserts. was the intention of the agents of the Chartered South African company to set loose the savages to invade the Transvaal from all points, and to kill every white

It is understood that the difficulty over the manner of disposal of Dr. Jameson followers was settled on Saturday, the Transvasi government simply stipulating that the rank and file of the Jameson expedition should be deported from South Africa According to the Transvael law, the punishment for treason is banishment and a large fine It is not believed here that President Kruger has demanded the abrogation of the London convention which provides for the suzeralnty of Great Britain over the Transyaal -as the price of

sparing Dr. Jameson's life.

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points, and to kill every white man. It had been alleged that all over South Africa provision stations should be erected on the lines of the route, and the points had been fixed. The object was to destroy Pretoria and to present England with a fait accomplinefore any interference could reach them Sketches of Pre-toria and of the Rand, made by military men, have it is said, been seized.

This story is denounced in London as a gross exaggeration, and it is regarded as being intended to prejudice the South African company in the negotiations it is

making.

A dispatch received by the Chartered South African company from Buluwayo announces that the outcome of a mass meeting of the English colony, bankers and merchants there, was the declaration of a unanimous decision to obey the imperial government. The public, it was asserted, was fully under control. Rhades' Point of View,

A dispatch from Cecil J Rhodes, ander date of Cape Town, Jan. 12, says: position is that within the Transvall there are 70,000 new-comers and an old population of 14,000. With the developments of the gold industry to a fuller extent, the new-comers will amount to 500, tent, the new-comers will amount to 500, on five years; eventually to 1,000,000, probably more. From time to time the position will be appet by the attempts of the new population to plaim civil rights, which eventually shey certainly must get. "Statesmanship should give them some rights now, as the present state is impossible for the new-comers with own, more

sible for the new-comers, who own more than half the soil of the Transvaal and nine-tenths of the wealth of the country. The new males outnumber the old, five to one, and are composed largely of Americans, including the principal mine man-

agers, England is the only great power in South Africa. She is now threatened with German interference, which she is bound to resent and resist. In this she should have America's sympathy. Blood is thicker than water. Americans, above all nations, insist on civil rights in one's industries here at the Cape. "In the Transvaal all my managers are Americans. And yet we have the spectacle of the two great English speaking nations of the world almost on the verge of war about world almost on the verge of war about whereas, working in perfect harmony, the peace of the world would be secured."

Kruger and the Esleer. The Berlin correspondent of The Times

says: The publicity given to the exchange of letters between the queen and the emperor is very unwelcome here. It is repolitical capital in the English interest out of the family relations of the two courts. The substance of the letters can only be a matter of surmise.

The contents of the emperor's letter may be inferred from the very conciliatory and reassuring words he addressed on the folreassuring words he addressed on the 101-lowing day to the foreign representatives here on the occasion of the funeral of Prince Alexander of Prussia, when he emphasized the unabated friendliness of the English and German governments.
Unfortunately, however, it is too early
to indulge in optimisms. President

Kruger's attitude muy be a better test of Germany's real attitude than professions of amity. If President Kruger proves obdurate, it will be difficult to resist thu conclusion that he has been allowed to count upon Germany's support. It must not be furgotten that before Dr. Jameson's coup the organ of the German foreign office urged President Kruger to ignore the manifesto of the National union of Johannesburg. Dr. Jameson's ill-starred enterprise simply gave Germany an op-portunity to shift her ground to a plausible condemnation of a breach of international

A dispatch to The Times from Vienna says that the German National association of Austria has telegraphed congratula-

tions to President Kruger. Cooling Down Somewhat,

Dispatches from Berlin, printed in to-day's papers, say that there is distinctly less stress of feeling there in regard to the international complication growing out of the Transvaal crisis, and the German press, as a rule, devote less space to it than for some time. The tone of the comment of the newspapers, which means so much in this land of press censorship and inspired expressions in newspapers, is rather more peaceful, and there is less talk of active hostilities and more hope expressed of an unarmed settlement of the question at issue. Expressions of irrita-tion at the British government and of rancor against the English people are still

The Taggeblatt replies to the assertions made Saturday in the Westminster Gasett that Germany's stitude on the Armanian and Carrette Carre menian question had alienated Great Britain, and had driven it to seek rapprochement with France. The West-minster Gazette added that there wa; absolutely no intention on the part of Great Britain to enter the Franco-Russian alliance, any more than the dreibun i, but Great Britain had become, it was hoped, better friends with both France and Rus-

To which The Taggeblatt replies: So England has sought hitherto a point England has sought interest a point d'appul against the dreibund. Germany would not have noticed that unless England's ceaseless colonial intrigues, and the unjustifiable abuse in the English press is proof of such an intimacy. If this be so, Germany rejoices that England henceforth

sheds the sunlight of her favor on the swetbund (Russia and France).

The Hamburger correspondent declares that there is no question of the abroga-tion of the suzerainty of Great Britain over the Transvaal, because the Transvaal has not recognized the British suzerainty at any time since 1884.

The Kolnische Volkszeitung says: It is high time that the British government should deny its responsibilities for The Times' lies and abusive sayings about Germany. Continued silence implies guilt. The Deutsches Wochenblutt threatens that when the Egyptian question shall be revived, the German press will unani-mously side with France against England.

The Thunderer's Conclusions. An editorial in The Times says: There is far too great a disposition in some quarters to assume that the Transvaal

difficulty is ended. It can only be truly said that the immediate danger of bloodshed has been averted. But all the evils and terrors which made

without Dr. Jameson, merely a ques-tion of time-still remain unsettled. While President Kruger is releasing Dr. Jameson with one hand, with the other he is throwing into prison the heads of all the English enterprises in Johannesburg. He cannot be allowed to transfer the charges of treason from armed invaders to the heads of a population which never asked anything but a fair share of politioal rights. And as he could have prevented Dr. Jameson's raid by divulging what his

preparations proved he knew, he does not come to court with clean hands. Whether as against Dr. Jameson or against the Johannesburgers, we should advise all concerned to hear Cecil Rhodes before deciding upon the somewhat obscure and complicated transactions.

There is little apprehension of war with Germany over the present complication at least, and the British public have a reassuring sense that if there is to be a war,

England Is Ready For It. The prompt and efficient work of the naval authorities and the formidable show of strength that is the result give John

Bull a feeling of confidence.

There are no further explicit announcements of movements looking to an al liance of the powers against England. Nevertheless, it is keenly perceived by the public that the sentiment displayed by the German government has a far wider bearing than the present dispute in Transvas!, and there are visions of future complica-

tions on questions of conflicting interests Saturday's cabinet council, and the meeting at the colonial office, remain largely a subject of speculation, and whatever decisions may have been taken are sedulously guarded as state secrets and the atest care taken to avoid publicity,

william H. Mercer, private secretary to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, said last telegrams to communicate to the public which had been received from South Africa. The visit of the Prince of Wales to the colonial office on Saturday, he said. just when several of the directors of the Chartered South African company were there, was purely accidental. His royal highness called, be said, to show his in-terest, and had made some kind remarks in recognition of Secretary Chamberlain's

This explanation is hardly likely to satisfy the public, in view of the repeated statements published that the directorship of the Duke of Fife, husband of Prin-cess Louise of Wales, in the Chartered South African company, is a subject of concern to the royal family, and especially to the queen.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Secretary Herbert has decided to put the battleship Texas out of commission, notwithstanding the recommendations of her com-mander, Captain Glass, that she be kept in commission, with a reduced crew, pend-ing the repairs. Captain Glass will be given special duty in charge of the ship during repairs.

London, Jan. 13.—Late reports received here are to the effect that the heavy Abyssinian losses in the attack upon Mar-kale, Jan. 8, when 10,000 natives were killed, were due to the explosion of mines laid by the Italians outside the fortifications.

Peruvian Strife.

Lama. Jan. 18 - The enemies of the government and a number of gens d'armes, who had mutined, created a disturbance at Moquegna. The outbreak was suppressed promptly. Troops have gone to the support of the officials of the place.

A Novel Scene TUSKEGER, Ala., Jan. 18. - Freeman

Imports Were Light. NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The exports of specie from the port of New York last week amounted to \$4,034,549 in gold and \$999,746 in silver. The imports were:

at Hempstead, L. I. England is said to be seeking an alliano

with Japan in Korean affairs.

General Francis C. Barlow, the widely known lawyer, died in New York, The Gillett baking powder factory at Chicago was burned. Loss, \$175,000. A bill was introduced in the Virginia

Russia's action in securing part of Kiaow-Chow is viewed with distrust in The Fifth Avenue Savings bank, Colum-

Texas district ended in a split, with Reed

stroyed in a storm. The loss is estimated at \$10,000. The Sixth congressional district of Texas elected delegates to the national Republican convention. Both are pro-

Jennie Parker, abandoned at sea, dis-masted off Turk's island Dec. 80, arrived at Halifax on steamer Alpha. Sir Claud Macdonald has been appointed

British minister at Pekin in place of Sir N. R. O'Conor, who has been made Brit-ish ambassador at St. Petersburg.

The Parisian, a general store at St. Louis, run by Siegel, Hillman & Co., oc cupying a five-story building, was de-stroyed by fire, causing an estimated loss of \$200,000.

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a thing of the past.
There is no doubt that, definite and indefinite efforts together, the subscriptions made through The World, almost entirely from country banks, represent a total of two-thirds, if not all, of the \$100,000,000 of

other than national, Oblo contributes the greatest amount, \$1,334,000; followed by Total St. 183, 500; Pennsylvanin, \$1,883,500; Pennsylvanin, \$1,803,500; Washington, \$986,200; New York, \$022,000; Missouri, \$882,000, and Illinois, \$802,000. The quota of Massachusetts, where the banks are nearly all na-The full list of promised subscriptions now stands as follows: The World, \$1,000,-000; national banks, through The World,

\$20,000,000; state and savings banks, through The World, \$15,000,000; New York Life Insurance company, \$10,000,000; Chemical and other New York banks, \$15,sell Sage and other independent bankers, \$3,000,000.
This is a total of \$104,000,000, and with the exception of Berlin and a little from New York all the great financial centers

are still to be heard from. Boston, Chi

cago, Philadelphia, San Francisco, New Orleans, Cinciunati and the other centers

of money in this country are practically unrepresented in the above list. in Congress WASHINGTON, Jan. 18. — The greater part of the time of the senate during the present week will be consumed in the discussion of the finance committee's silver

substitute for the bond bill. The most of

to routine mate. As soon as the con adderation of the rules is completed, the pension appropriation bill will be taken up. As quite a number of members desire to be heard on various matters connected with the administration of the pension office and various proposed reforms therein, it has been decided to allow ample time for debate, and it is not be lieved that the bill will be disposed of before Thursday The appropriations committee has no other bill ready, and the remainder of the week will be devoted to such other matters was may be brought

Conservative government organ, eays in an editorial this morning. The cabinet on Saturday decaded to publish the Ven-ezuelan payers at the earliest possible moment. We gladly take this opportunity to bear testimony to the mag-naulmous attitude of the American na-tion to us at a time when communities less generous thought a favorable opportunity had arisen for adopting toward us a tone of insult, if not of menace. This conduct was worthy of the Americans, and has materially influenced Lord Salisbury's decision. The maintenance of friendship with America is always a first considera-tion with England. We say this to the American people with the absolute candor of deep-seated cordinity.

Looking Up Old Records.

CARACAS, Jan. 13 —President Crespo has appointed Rafael Seijas, Laureano Villanueva, Julian Viso March and An-tonio Saluzzo a commission to search the libraries in Venezuein for old data regarding the Guiana boundary, in order to assist the United States commission. An anti-English neeting in Merida urged the government to immediately close Venexuelan ports to British subjects. The legislature for the states of Miranda and Zuha have approved President Crespo's decree making rebellion now treason, and have petitioned charges to enact a law

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Margaret Deland's

"COUNTING THE COST," a new and remarkable story by the clever author of "John Ward, Preacher," will be commenced in the WEEKLY

Among the distinguished authors who have been engaged to furnish stories to be published exclusively for this locality in THE TRANSCRIPT are

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NANTUCKET, Mass., Jan. 18.-A quantity of wreekage, evidently from a steamer, came ashore at the east end of the island. The wreekage consisted of merchandis and miscellateous articles. There are no clews to establish the identity of any ves-

will award plans immediately for one por-tion of the building. The first part to be completed will cost \$100,000, with room for 117,000 library books.

Charles E. Martin of New Haven com-

The First Baptist church of Haverhill. Mass., voted to extend a call to Rev. Charles T. Morgan of Philadelphia.

prominent in Masonic circles. Frank Cook, a street-car conductor of Pawtucket, R. I., died from a compound

Mrs. Susan Carr, the oldest alumns of

The creditors of Whittle & Hanrahan, dyers and bleachers, of Providence, have decided not to continue the business. The property of the concern, which is valued at over \$300,000, will be sold.

The total imports of Boston for 1895 are shown to be in value \$79,881,556, an in-

An Awlul Experience.

Extensive Repairs Needed.

Horrors of War.

Collins, colored, was executed here Saturday for wife murder, committed last July. The crowd sang "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," while Colums stood on the scaffold.

### Gold, \$52,944; silver, \$71,500.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL Burglars got \$5600 worth of silverware

legislature to restore the whipping post

bus, O., closed its doors. The officers say everybody is secured. The Republican convention of the Sixth and McKinley delegations. The breakwater at Fortune harbor N. F., on the southwest coast, was de

nounced Reed men. Captain Parker and crew, of schooner

Among the passengers on the steamer La Champagne, which arrived at New York yesterday, were Sarah Bernhardt and the members of her company.

Three brothers were fatally injured by an explosion of dynamite at Philadelphia Their names are David, William and George McKisson, aged, respectively, 18,

maker, considers her work a very suitable one for her sex. She thinks she may be opening a new field of employment for women.

# American Magnanimity. LONDON, Jan. 13 -The Standard, the Of the \$15,206,000 subscribed by banks

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